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As per your phone conversation with Terry B. McDaniel on the above-mentioned case, attached please find the Transmittal Cover sheet for CHR 01-34 CIP II, filed on September 7, 2004 and assigned U. S. Serial No. 10/935,527.

Please note that page 2 of this transmittal requests the express abandonment of the parent application, U. S. Serial No. 09/803,829 subsequent to the effective filing date of the newly filed continuation in part application Serial No. 10/935,527.

Thank you for your kind attention to this matter. Should you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the continuation-in-part patent application of

Inventor(s): G. Frederick Hutter, Camille Kassis Stebbins

For: Cationic Colloidal Dispersion Polymers For Ink Jet Coatings

Enclosed are:

/xxx/ 2 figures of drawings.

/xxx/ 2 sheets of drawings.

/xxx/ Newly executed original of the Continuation-In-Part Declaration, Power of Attorney, and Petition.

/ / An Assignment of the invention to:
MeadWestvaco Corporation, 1 High Ridge Park, Stamford, CT 06905.

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/ / Nonpublication Request Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i).

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BASIC FEE			\$770.00	\$770.00
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INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	1 - 3 =	0*	x 86.00	0.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT			\$290.00	
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			ASSIGNMENT RECORDATION FEE	\$ 00.00
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/XXX/ U.S. Patent and Trademark Officer Examiner and Group Art Unit of the parent application:
Examiner: Tamra Dicus
Group Art Unit: 1774

This application is a continuation-in-part of Cationic Colloidal Dispersion Polymers For Ink Jet Coatings by G. F. Hutter and C. K. Stebbins, which was filed on March 12, 2001 as application Serial No. 09/803,829.

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.138, the parent application, Serial No. 09/803,829, is to be expressly abandoned (but not the rights to the invention contained therein) subsequent to the effective filing date of the attached continuation-in-part patent application.

Respectfully submitted,


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Attachments

September 7, 2004
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